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**125th Legislature (2010-2012)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 516 / SP0149

Original Title: An Act To Amend Maine Law To Conform with Federal Law Regarding Employment Practices for Certain Minors. New Title: An Act To Amend Maine Law Regarding Employment Practices for Certain Minors. Presented by Senator PLOWMAN of Penobscot. Referred to Jt. Standing Comm. on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development. Public Hearing 03/09/11. Majority (Ought to Pass as Amended) Accepted 05/18/11. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-79, SC/CA S-97. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 05/31/11, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 174.

**Original Bill**

[LD 516 \(125th Legis. 2011\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

[LD 516 / PL 2011, c. 174](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf125-LD-0516.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-79\) \(LD 516 2011\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HA/CA \(H-215\) \(LD 516 2011\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-94\) \(LD 516 2011\)](#)

[Amendment SB/CA \(S-95\) \(LD 516 2011\)](#)

[Amendment SC/CA \(S-97\) \(LD 516 2011\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HB/CA \(H-257\) \(LD 516 2011\)](#)

[Amendment HC/CA \(H-258\) \(LD 516 2011\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, February 15, 2011 \(H108-119\)](#)

- p. H-119

[SENATE, February 15, 2011 \(S150-158\)](#)

- p. S-154

[SENATE, May 10, 2011 \(S595-622\)](#)

- p. S-611 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 617)) (Amendment(s) S-79)

[SENATE, May 11, 2011 \(S623-677\)](#)

- p. S-640 (Amendment(s) S-79)

[SENATE, May 12, 2011 \(S678-696\)](#)

- p. S-694 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-79, S-97)

[HOUSE, May 16, 2011 \(H454-478\)](#)

- p. H-459 (Amendment(s) S-79)

[HOUSE, May 18, 2011 \(H490-516\)](#)

- p. H-510 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 515 (2))) (Amendment(s) S-79, S-97, H-257 (p 515))

[HOUSE, May 19, 2011 \(H517-538\)](#)

- p. H-521 (Amendment(s) S-79, S-97)

[HOUSE, May 23, 2011 \(H539-569\)](#)

- p. H-548 (Amendment(s) S-79, S-97)

[SENATE, May 23, 2011 \(S807-828\)](#)

- p. S-817 (Amendment(s) S-79, S-97)

### Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2011, c. 174](#)

### News Articles

Bill would allow teens to work more during school year (Wickenheiser, Matt) (Bangor Daily News, 3/10/2011, p. A1, A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/B1103038.pdf)

Books versus jobs? Opinions split on bill to let teens work more (Hemmerdinger, J) (Portland Press Herald, 3/10/2011, p. A1, A10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/P1103006.pdf)

Proposed changes to child labor law spark concern (Mistler, Steve) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/10/2011, p. A1, A7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1103017.pdf)

Current limit on teen workers should remain (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/13/2011, p. C9) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1103052.pdf)

Amended child labor bill heads to Senate (Mistler, Steve) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/29/2011, p. A7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1103070.pdf)

Students must concentrate on school, not work (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 4/3/2011, p. C9) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1104004.pdf)

Opposition to teen-work law is misplaced (Kennebec Journal, 5/17/2011, p. A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/K1105023.pdf)

Bill to loosen teen labor laws poised for passage (Miller, Kevin) (Bangor Daily News, 5/19/2011, p. A1, C5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/B1105039.pdf)

House gives first OK to loosen child labor law (Mistler, Steve) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 5/19/2011, p. A3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1105017.pdf)

LePage set to sign teen labor bill extending work hours (Mistler, Steve) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 5/28/2011, p. A3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 125/LD05xx/nc125-ld-0516/D1105060.pdf)

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